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TAX OFFICIALS ANNUAL MEETING

Held in Douglas This Week with Largest Attendance on Record

CHAIRMAN ZANDER PRESIDES

The Increased Valuation of the State for the Year 1920 Is $25,000,000

The annual conference of the State Tax Commission and officials of the several counties was held in Douglas, beginning Monday.

The conference was attended by C. M. Zander, chairman of the commission, who presided, and W. V. Wood, secretary of the commission, who acted as secretary.

Besides the tax officials, there were a number of representatives of large tax payers in the State attending the meeting to give any information desired concerning their property and the industry they represented.

According to tentative reports of the assessors of the various counties, now in the hands of the State Tax Commission, the assessed valuation of the State shows an increase of about $25,000,000. This increase is shown to have been largely in Maricopa county, which shows an increase of $34,000,000. Cochise, Yuma, Coconino, Navajo, Pinal and Santa Cruz counties all increased in their assessed valuation over last year, and other counties showed about the same valuation. Some of them showed decreases.

The tentative assessments of the various counties are given in the following table:

	1919	1920
Apache	$8,623,981	$9,351,808
Cochise	172,142,473	175,075,859
Coconino	20,889,740	22,739,680
Gila	162,293,178	143,244,298
Graham	13,433,105	13,963,942
Greenlee	43,946,537	42,831,997
Maricopa	100,650,667	134,265,501
Mohave	23,203,707	23,359,527
Navajo	11,145,143	12,501,651
Pima	64,545,832	63,791,607
Pinal	69,071,742	73,930,147
Santa Cruz	11,315,403	12,763,706
Yavapai	134,082,679	129,744,354
Yuma	19,880,527	22,376,529
Totals	$855,224,720	$879,940,572

These conference meetings are held annually at the call of the State Tax Commission for the purpose of getting general and detailed information about the assessment of property in the various counties in the State, so that when the State Commission meets as a board of equalization they will be able to make such orders as will equalize assessment valuations throughout the State.

The meeting Monday morning was featured by the address of Chairman C. M. Zander, of the State Tax Commission, who in a very interesting manner recounted the growth of the industries of the State, the rapid increase in the assessed valuation of the various industries and told of the splendid outlook for the future as a result of various enterprises under way for the further reclamation of agricultural lands by means of irrigation and the conservation of waters now running away to waste.

He also recounted the splendid program of road building now going on in all parts of the State as a result of the increased revenue made possible through the systematic and taxation of the properties of the State and predicted that Arizona's valuation would reach a total of one billion dollars within the next few years.

The address of Mr. Zander was much appreciated and at its end there was applause which attested commendation.

Andrew Kimball, of Thatcher, who attended the conference as president of the Arizona Agricultural Commission, as representative of the Arizona Eastern Railway, and also representing the State Taxpayers' Association, was called on and responded in a very able address in which he devoted much of the time to the subject of flood control in Arizona as a means of creating and conserving wealth in the State.

Mr. Kimball told of close examinations which he has made of a system of holding back water in the mountains of California by a system of check dams which has been wonderfully successful. He recommended such a system for Arizona, where, he said, great damage has been done and is being done to much of the farming lands. He asked members of the conference to devote their time and energy in the several counties to this important matter.

Geo. H. Kelly, editor of the Douglas International, also made splendid address, relating the wonderful advancement he had witnessed in Arizona during a residence of 32 years.

The tax officials and visitors to the conference were tendered a banquet Monday night at Agua Prieta, Mexico.

Graham county was represented at the conference by County Assessor J. Myron Allred, Supervisor H. J. Dowdle and Clerk of the Board Martin Layton.

The conference will take up the balance of the week.

NEW P. O. BUILDING

Will Be Erected on Lot in Former City Park, on First West Street

Safford is to have a new post office building, which will be erected on the block recently purchased by the Hoopes brothers, from D. W. Wickersham, which was used for years as a city park, and located south of the Bank of Safford.

Bert Hoopes has secured plans for the erection of a one-story brick building, which will be built on a lot 75 feet south of the northeast corner of the block, on First West street.

The building will be 30 by 60 feet. The front will be of El Paso pressed brick, the side walls and back wall of the building to be built of cement brick.

The entire building will be used as a post office and when completed and furnished, will be one of the largest post office buildings in the State.

The ground will be cleared and the foundation started at once. A cement sidewalk will be laid on the east front of this block, facing east, and running from First South to Second South streets.

The new depot to be erected by the Arizona Eastern R. R., will face the Hoopes' block on the south. The location of the new post office building on First West street, will undoubtly lead to this street becoming a business street, leading from the depot to main street, and will encourage the owners of property to erect new and modern business houses.

Safford Theatre To Be Remodeled

The Safford Theatre will close down Monday for repairs to the building.

The proprietors, Marshall and Merrill, announce that they will show the regular program (see advertisement on page six of this issue), at the Liberty Theatre, starting Sunday, August 1st, and will continue until the remodeling of the Safford Theatre is completed.

The plans call for an addition of 35 feet to the present building, which will be built of iron lathes and plaster. The front of the building will be remodeled to allow a display lobby and a fireproof operating room.

The proprietors will also add to the seating capacity of the Safford Theatre 225 new opera chairs.

When completed the Safford Theatre will be one of the largest and most comfortable moving picture theatres in the Southwest.

Experienced Earthquake; Returns Home

Mrs. Lynnie Lackey returned home Saturday evening from a two weeks' business trip to Los Angeles, Cal., where she purchased new lines of the latest designs in millinery and ladies' ready-to-wear garments.

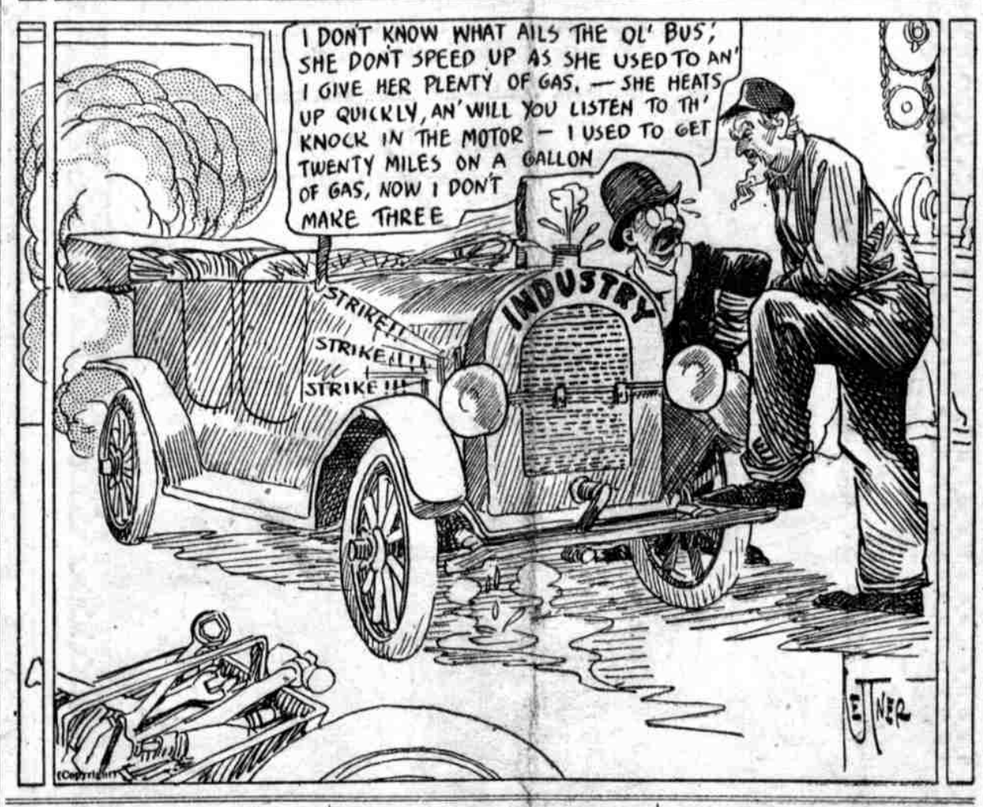
Mrs. Lackey experienced the earthquake in the Angel City, in fact several of the temblors, and Arizona, the land of sunshine, peace and happiness, looked so good to her that she finished her trip for a speedy return home.

Special Next Week

School Day Romper cloth, at 50 cents per yard. F. M. Layton, Safford. 26-1t

Charles N. Rose was a Geronimo visitor in town Tuesday.

The Expert Mechanic



Celebration of Pioneer Day

Pioneer Day was gloriously celebrated in Thatcher Saturday, under the auspices of the Primary Association of St. Joseph Stake.

The largest crowd in years was in attendance and enjoyed the splendid literary program during the forenoon, and the program of athletic sports and ball game in the afternoon.

The parade, which started the day's festivities, was a very enjoyable feature of the celebration.

The literary program was given as follows:

Opening Song—"Joseph Smith's First Prayer"
Prayer
Some One Who Has Seen Prophet Joseph Smith
Singing, "Praise to the Man," etc.
Reading, "The Vision"..Lebanon Ward
Pantomine, "The Mormon Battalion"..Pima Ward
Song, "One Hundred Years"..Layton Ward
Reading, "The Divine Answer"..Central Ward
Scene, "Evening on the Plains"..Thatcher Ward
Dance, "Girls and Boys"..Layton Ward
Drill..Lebanon Ward
Benediction..Pioneer

Information for Candidates and Voters

Nominating petitions for county offices must have not less than 3 per cent, nor more than 10 per cent of the county vote for governor in 1918.

Candidates can secure nominating blanks and all papers necessary; also, information regarding same from Martin Layton, clerk of the board.

Registration of voters opened May 3d and will close August 28th, ten days before the primary election, September 7th.

Registration will open again September 15th, and will close October 15th.

The justices of the peace of each precinct and the county recorder are registration officers.

Tom Foster Out for State Mine Inspector

Tom C. Foster, candidate for the nomination for State mine inspector, accompanied by Mr. Stewart, were in town Tuesday, leaving for Clifton Wednesday.

Mr. Foster is one of the best known miners in the State and has worked in all the big mines, during a residence of 22 years.

Mr. Foster is a very competent man for the position of State mine inspector and received the endorsement of the Non-Partisan Labor Committee for the position.

Honor Certificate Given Carl Shroeder

Carl Schroeder received Monday from the War Department a handsome lithographed certificate of service.

The following inscription appears on the top of the certificate: "Columbia gives to her son the accolade of the new chivalry of humanity."

Beneath the picture of "Columbia," the following is inscribed: "Carl Schroeder, Co. E, 125th Inftry. Served with honor in the World War and wounded in action."

COX-ROOSEVELT DEMOCRATIC CLUB

Organized Monday Night at Meeting Held in the Court House

DEMOCRATS SHOULD REGISTER

Nominations Are Announced for Every County Office—Only Three Contests

A meeting of the democrats of Graham county was held Monday evening at the court house.

The several precincts of the county were well represented and a full discussion of the political conditions in the county took up a good part of the evening.

Charles Yett, chairman of the Graham County Democratic Central Committee, presided, with George Hoopes as secretary.

Delegate W. W. Pace aroused great enthusiasm among the democrats present when he related the proceedings of the convention and the splendid result secured in the nomination of Governor Cox, of Ohio, for president, and Franklin D. Roosevelt, of New York, for vice president.

In order to make a thorough organization of the democrats of the county, both men and women, it was proposed to organize a Cox and Roosevelt Club, and after some discussion, the following committee on organization was appointed:

Phile. C. Merrill, of Pima; R. G. Layton, of Thatcher; Joseph Bingham, of Safford; Eugene Curtis, of Redland, and Reece Boyle, of Bonita.

The committee retired to prepare a plan of organization to be presented to the meeting, and and while the committee was out, there was some discussion on registration and the candidacy of democrats of the county for nominations for the several county offices to be voted for at the coming primary election, September 7th.

All democrats were urged to register with the justices of the peace in the several precincts of the county, who are authorized registration officers, or with County Recorder Larson, at the court house.

The attention of the meeting was called to the fact that candidates had been announced for nominations of every county office, and the following list was read:

For Supreme Court—Judge A. G. McAlister, Safford.

For Senator—J. H. Lines, Pima.

For Representative, District No. 1—George A. Foote, Safford.

For Representative, District No. 2—D. A. Matthews.

For Supervisor, District No. 1—W. A. Bennett, Safford; Jos. W. Greenhalgh, Safford.

For Supervisor, District No. 2—R. G. Layton, Sr., Thatcher.

For County Attorney—R. W. Smith, Safford.

For Sheriff—Joseph Woolsey, Safford; J. D. Skaggs, Thatcher; Geo. A. Felshaw, Safford.

For County Assessor — Ray Hanchett, Thatcher.

For County Recorder—S. Geo. Sims, Thatcher.

For County School Superintendent—Major E. D. Householder, Safford.

The list showed candidates for every county office, with contests for only three offices—county attorney, sheriff and supervisor, district No. 1.

The committee on organization of the Graham County Cox-Roosevelt Club announced that it was ready to report and submitted the following list of officers for the club, who were placed in nomination and unanimously elected:

John F. Weber, president.

Joseph H. Lines, vice president.

C. O. Larson, secretary.

Z. C. Prina, treasurer.

Executive Committee: W. W. Pace, Mrs. Karl W. Sloan, Mrs. Maud Callison, Bert Hoopes and R. W. Smith.

The committee recommended a membership fee of $1.00, and the recommendation was concurred in.

The first meeting of the club will be held tomorrow (Saturday) night, at the Palms, in Safford.

The club starts out with a good membership and every democrat in the county is urged to become a member and assist in a vigorous campaign for the election of the party's national candidates, and every candidate on the State and county ticket.

A clean sweep for Graham county democracy is the slogan.

Pioneer Day at Sombrero Butte, Ariz.

The Magma Chief Copper Company's camp, at Sombrero Butte, Arigona, was the scene of a joyous celebration, July 24th, when the neighbors joined in with Mrs. Lucretia Pomeroy to make merry on the day that marked the anniversary of the entrance of the Latter-day Saints into Utah.

A picnic supper, including chicken and all the trimmings, was enjoyed.

Fireworks and dancing whiled away the evening hours.

Earlier in the day, a short program, consisting of songs and recitations by the children, was given.

After the song, "We Thank Thee, O God, for a Prophet," by Mesdames Tenney and Western, Brother S. B. Tenney and Brother Ammon Tenney, a splendid talk was given by Brother S. B. Tenney.

He used as his subject the trip of the Mormons to Utah. Tears came into the speaker's eyes as he told of the wearisome journey, a journey in which his own father and mother took part.

Brother Ammon Tenney closed the program with a few remarks.

Hilton Johnson was marshal of the day.

At midnight the guests departed voting the affair a success and the day well spent.

FOR SALE—Rhode Island laying hens. New incubator, 150 eggs, $15.00. Sewing machine, $15.00, Domestic. One roll chicken wire, chicken coops. Fruit jars, cheap. C. E. Gilchrist, Safford. 25-tf

WILL STOP ESCAPES

Efforts To Be Made to Reduce Number of Fugitives from Industrial School

In the belief that too many escapes have occurred at the State Industrial School, at Fort Grant, Arizona, Clayton Bennett, secretary of Board of Directors of State Institutions, announced Wednesday that steps would now be taken to reduce the number of fugitives.

Returning from an inspection of the school, Secretary Bennett said he would recommend to the board that prison netting be used to cover the windows of the buildings and that more guards be employed.

Too many of the boys and girls committed to the institution have come to look upon an escape as an adventure, he said. The secretary made particular reference to the escape of two boys and three girls on July 5th. They travelled from Tempe to California in a stolen automobile, were captured and returned to the school to serve out the remainder of their time, Mr. Bennet said. He added that their accumulated credits had been cancelled.

"In talking with one of the girls," said Secretary Bennett, "I asked her if it were not true that she was getting better food, better treatment and better clothes than she had at home. She replied that she was, but that she had run away in order to 'have a good time.'

"Running away is a great adventure to them, and although they have not a word of complaint to make against the school or the treatment they receive, they have to be watched. And watching alone will not do it."

Mr. Bennett said he had become convinced that prison tactics had become necessary. Cutting window screens and escaping down ladders improvised from bedding has been tried for the last time he said.

Bernard Easy For Twyman

Kid Bernard, of St. Louis, got his for keeps when he tackled Battling Twyman, of Ft. Bliss, Texas, in the square ring Friday night, at the Liberty Theatre.

It was an easy go for Twyman from the start and wound up in the Kid's seconds throwing the sponge in the ring.

The semi-finals went to John Carnes, of Cactus, after a fast four rounds with Frank Keppler, of Clifton. Carnes handed Keppler a knockout in the last round.

Mitt Waddell and Verne Campbell and Joe Boggs and Fred Angle fought to draws in their bouts.

Frank Campbell Returns to Morenci

Frank Campbell, who has been visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, the past week, left Tuesday for Morenci, where he is in the employ of the Phelps Dodge Co., working in the mines.

Frank met with a serious accident two months ago, when the motor he was driving in one of the tunnels was crashed into by another motor, resulting in his left leg being so badly crushed that it had to be amputated above the knee.

Morenci Won Two Games from Thatcher

The Morenci team defeated the Thatcher team, at Thatcher, Saturday afternoon. Score, 7 to 6.

Sunday afternoon, the teams played here at the fair grounds, resulting in Morenci getting another victory. Score, 9 to 8.

Both games were well played.

SUNSET WILL CELEBRATE

The people of Sunset, four miles west of Hooker's Ranch, are preparing a program for a wild west celebration, to take place August 20th and 21st. As outlined there will be horse racing, calf roping and athletic events, and a dance each evening. The program will be announced later in THE GUARDIAN.

Special Next Week

School Day Romper cloth, at 50 cents per yard. F. M. Layton, Safford. 26-1t

FOR SALE—Jersey Cow; splendid milker, good butter cow. Bargain for quick sale. C. E. Gilchrist, Safford. 25-tf

COX AND ROOSEVELT ARE ENDORSED

By Arizona State Labor Non-Partisan Committee, at Tucson Meeting

ADOPTS STRONG RESOLUTIONS

Attacking Republican Platform and Praising Fairness of Democrats

Governor Cox, democratic candidate for president, and Franklin D. Roosevelt, his running mate, were endorsed by the Arizona State Labor Non-Partisan Committee, at its State convention, held in the labor temple, at Tucson, Saturday, July 24th.

Mulford Winsor, candidate for the democratic nomination for governor, and Judge A. G. McAlister, candidate for the Supreme Court, were also endorsed.

Resolutions were passed attacking the republican platform and praising the fairness of the democratic platform in the endorsing of the two national candidates.

The resolution which was passed endorsing Cox and Roosevelt follows:

"WHEREAS, The American Federation of Labor, representing five million organized workers, presented to the republican national convention at Chicago, a platform setting forth a comprehensive doctrine involving human rights and the public welfare of the common people of this country; and,

"WHEREAS, The republican party in convention assembled rejected with scorn and contumely the proposals of labor, and adopted in their stead a platform which has for its chief object the furtherance of the interests of the privileged and wealthy few who control American industry; and,

"WHEREAS, The republican party at the convention selected to run on that platform, and to put into operation the provisions of that platform, a candidate whose chief slogan calls for a return to policies of administrative government which have long since been discarded by the American people; and,

"WHEREAS, The democratic party, assembled in convention in San Francisco, recognizes the right of workers to organize into voluntary associations for the protection of their freedom and the liberties guaranteed by the constitution of the United States, and endorsed the system of collective bargaining and the rights of workers to cease work as a protest against autocratic methods in industry; and,

"WHEREAS, The democratic party, in convention assembled, has selected as a candidate, a man whose record is one of fairness and friendliness toward the workers, and one whose humanitarianism has been evidenced in his public life by his support of legislation in behalf of the common people of Ohio, and by his administration as chief executive of that state which has shown a spirit of justness worthy of a man who aspires to the highest honor in the gift of the American people; and,

WHEREAS, The working people of the state of Ohio have endorsed Governor Cox for the presidency; therefore, be it

"RESOLVED, That the Arizona State Federation of Labor Non-Partisan Campaign Committee hereby endorse said James W. Cox for president of the United States, and Franklin D. Roosevelt for vice president."

The convention adjourned Monday night, after completing its ticket by endorsing:

A. A. Worsley, of Tucson, for United States senator; Wiley E. Jones, for attorney general; Carl Hayden, for Congress; Charles de Sales Wheeler, for Secretary of State; C. M. Zander and Murphy for Tax Commissioners; Peter Munch, for State Auditor; Earhart for State Treasurer; Tom Foster, for State Mine Inspector, and A. C. Petersen, for Superintendent of Public Instruction.

WILL PLAY INDIANS

The Safford team will play the San Carlos Indian team, at the fair grounds. Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

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THE ROLL OF HONOR

The following states have ratified the National Woman's Suffrage Amendment:

1	Wisconsin	June 5, 1919
2	Michigan	June 10, 1919
3	Kansas	June 16, 1919
4	New York	June 16, 1919
5	Ohio	June 16, 1919
6	Illinois	June 17, 1919
7	Pennsylvania	June 24, 1919
8	Massachusetts	June 25, 1919
9	Texas	June 28, 1919
10	Iowa	July 2, 1919
11	Missouri	July 3, 1919
12	Arkansas	July 28, 1919
13	Montana	July 30, 1919
14	Nebraska	August 1, 1919
15	Minnesota	Sept. 8, 1919
16	New Hampshire	Sept. 10, 1919
17	Utah	Sept. 30, 1919
18	California	Nov. 1, 1919
19	Maine	Nov. 5, 1919
20	North Dakota	Dec. 1, 1919
21	South Dakota	Dec. 4, 1919
22	Colorado	Dec. 12, 1919
23	Rhode Island	Jan. 6, 1920
24	Kentucky	Jan. 6, 1920
25	Oregon	Jan. 13, 1920
26	Indiana	Jan. 16 1920
27	Wyoming	Jan. 27, 1920
28	Nevada	Feb. 7, 1920
29	New Jersey	Feb. 9, 1920
30	Idaho	Feb. 11, 1920
31	Arizona	Feb. 12, 1920
32	New Mexico	Feb. 19, 1920
33	Oklahoma	Feb. 28, 1920
34	West Virginia	Mar. 10, 1920
35	Washington	Mar. 22, 1920

JULY 30, 1920

For President
JAMES M. COX
Of Ohio

For Vice President
FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT
Of New York

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Justice of Supreme Court

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Justice of the Supreme Court, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

SAMUEL L. PATTEE.

For State Senator

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of State Senator, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

JOSEPH H. LINES.

For Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of Graham County, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

JOSEPH H. WOOLSEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of Graham ounty, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

J. D. SKAGGS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of Graham County, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

GEORGE A. FELSHAW.

For State Superintendent of Public Instruction

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for State Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

Will appreciate the support of the people of Arizona.

Yours respectfully,
A. C. PETERSON.

For Supervisor

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Supervisor, in Supervisor District, No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

W. A. BENNETT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Supervisor, District No. 1, subject to the action of the Republican Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

CHARLES M. PURSLEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Supervisor, District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

JOS. W. GREENHALGH.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Supervisor, District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

RICHARD G. LAYTON, SR.

For County Treasurer

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

J. A. WOODS.

For Corporation Commissioner

I take this opportunity to announce to the electorate that I will be a candidate for the office of Corporation Commission at the ensuing election, provided I receive the endorsement of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

Phoenix, Arizona.

T. D. CASHEL.

For County Recorder

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Recorder of Graham County, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

S. GEO. SIMS.

For County Assessor

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

RAY HANCHETT.

A STRIKE FOR HIGH PRICES?

Many protests have been made of late against frivolous and vexatious strikes on the part of working men. So much inconvenience has been caused by these walkouts that it has been seriously proposed to limit the right to strike, and Kansas already has such a law which it is attempting to enforce. If it is a punishable offense for labor to throw down its tools, how are we to deal with the employer who acting in the same spirit, closes his shop?

The American Woolen Company, which has shut down most of its mills, is in politics as well as in business. Its industry is founded on the protective tariff, and its political faith has always been that of the party whose first object is to safeguard and and enrich big business. The present suspension of operations is explained by an alleged cancellation of orders for cloth, but men in the trade deny that such is the fact, and already associations of producers of clothing for men and women are announcing higher retail prices for the fall and winter and justifying them on the ground that the supply of woollens is to be short.

Practically every discussion of remedies for high prices ends with a demand for increased production. Besides the complaint against strikes, it has been held that labor is dilatory and that, notwithstanding generous wages, its product has diminished. This is the grievance of such manufacturers as have been accused of profiteering, although no proof of it is found in their books or in the excessive dividends they have been earning. One thing, however, is plain. A labor strike does not necessarily stop production. A strike by capital is certain to do so.

The American Woolen Company escaped prosecution not long ago by a judicial ruling that cloth is not clothing in the meaning of the Lever act. On this technicality a case carefully prepared by the Department of Justice came to naught. There is an intimation that the New England shutdown, throwing tens of thousands of people out of work, was vengeful in its inspiration and intended as a warning against further interference. Perhaps a more powerful consideration was the purpose alleged by the American Designers' Association, which is to create a scarcity and thus check the tendency everywhere manifested of late to reduce the cost of clothing.

Such a policy would come properly under the head of a conspiracy against the public. We have had several outlaw labor strikes—that is, strikes entered upon in violation of contracts and union rules and without any well-defined purpose. If the American Woolen Company's shut-down is intended to intimidate the government and perpetuate extortion, it also is an outlaw strike. The people are the principal victims. The locked-out mill operatives may find work at big wages elsewhere, but with a prearranged scarcity of cloth the consumer will pay the new levy or practise self-denial.

In regard to this situation it is well to remember that most of the convictions for profiteering have been of dealers in clothing for men and women. Outrageous as the methods thus disclosed have been, they need cause no surprise when conditions in the basic industry are as they now appear to be.—N. Y. World.

Quality counts in men like it does in glassware. You have got to have the proper ring.

AJAX CORD

SURELY your car deserves the best in tire equipment. Ajax Cord Tires are built to outwear, to outlast, and to give your car that snappy "well-shod" look. They are dignified, durable and dependable. Note that Cleated Tread. *It holds.* See those Double Shoulders of Strength.

Use Ajax Cords—and know real tire satisfaction.

Cooper Motor Company
SAFFORD, ARIZONA

THE SUBSTANTIAL CITIZEN

The American home is the corner stone of the nation. It promotes the stability of the family; stimulates the love of our country, and is the best safeguard of law and order in society.

Few people really like to live in hotels and apartment houses or eat in a restaurant in preference to the enjoyments of a home, but many do so because of barriers of one kind and another which stand in the way of the home.

Building costs are more than offset by high rents being charged. Home building today is a business, the same as banking, and any energetic man can finance a home through a long time loan if he wishes.

The ownership of a bit of real estate is a fine thing from every point of view. It gives the holder a standing and a self respect he would not otherwise have.

It promotes business confidence in him and makes him one of the substantial upstanding pillars of the comunity.

Begin it today. Own your own home. Get in line to be the solid citizen of tomorrow.

"DON'T BITE THE HAND THAT FEEDS YOU"

Loyalty to employer, next to loyalty to country and parents, typifies the highest standard of American ideals. In these strenuous times, the integrity of the personal equation seems to be supplanting the high standard of civilization and society established by our forefathers.

Industry supplies the seed that makes for human health, happiness and contentment and its betrayal leads to the misery, woe and discouragement that follow in its wake.

As long as you are a part of an institution, defend it, honor it, cherish it, work for it, stand by it and stand by those whose business ability and means have made it possible, its advancement your advancement, and its achievement your achievement.

The industrial and commercial development of a nation is the bulwark of our liberty and indepence and it behooves us to cherish and defend it.—Robt. I. Kerr.

UNIFORM TAXATION

The question of tax revision from war to a peace-time basis is one of the most important problems before congress.

This nation depends for its prosperity on the successful operation of industry, and a successful industry is dependent on local and national conditions encouraging to operation and development.

Burdensome and unfair taxation kills incentive for industrial expansion and industries in peace time should not be saddled with a war time schedule of taxation.

Nearly two years have passed since the war ended and it is high time that all "special taxes," so-called "excess profits" taxes and like burdens on certain industries be removed and a uniform system of taxation adopted.

Love has but one native atmosphere. It forgets the differences and revels in its affinities.

HOOPES GETS CONTRACT

John Hoopes, of Miami, was the lowest bidder for the construction of section 16 of the Miami-Superior highway, the bid being accepted by a special meeting of the board of supervisors of Gila county, Saturday. Mr. Hoopes' bid was $60,829.20. According to the contract work is to begin at once on this section of the road which lies between the Schultze ranch and Queen creek. Other bidders were W. R. Brown and Coty, Black & Co., of Clifton.—Silver Belt.

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PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF GRAHAM, STATE OF ARIZONA. } SS.:

SAFFORD, ARIZONA, July 12, 1920.

The Board of Supervisors met in pursuance of Paragraph 4840, of the Revised Statutes of Arizona, 1913, with the following members present, to-wit: Frank A. Webster, Member; J. T. Owens, Member; Martin Layton, Clerk. Absent: H. J. Dowdle, Chairman.

In pursuance of Paragraph 4870, of the Revised Statutes of Arizona, 1913, the board proceeded to make estimates of the different amounts required to meet the public expense, to be raised by taxation, and also to make estimates of all receipts for the ensuing year, expenses for the ensuing year from all sources other than direct taxation, the board proceeded to make such estimates, and the clerk is hereby ordered to enter the same upon the minutes of this meeting, together with like estimate for the previous year. The estimates, or budget, so made are as follows:

COUNTY BUDCET

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1921

GENERAL FUND

	EXPENDITURES. Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimated for Present Fiscal Year
Assessor's Office:		
Assessor's Salary	$ 2,250.00	$ 2,250.00
Deputies' Salaries	851.66	850.00
Office Supplies and Expense	619.32	700.00
Totals	$ 3,720.98	$ 3,800.00
Attorney's Office:		
Attorney's Salary	$ 2,500.00	$ 2,500.00
Stenographer's Salary	272.50	300.00
Office Supplies and Expense	117.71	150.00
Totals	$2,890.21	$ 2,950.00
Board of Supervisors' Office:		
Chairman's Salaly	$ 1,300.00	$ 1,300.00
Members' Salary (2)	2,199.68	2,200.00
Clerk's Salary	1,800.00	1,800.00
Publishing Minutes, and etc.	1,105.72	1,500.00
Office Supplies	178.73	200.00
Postage	50.00	75.00
Miscellaneous Expense	652.33	700.00
Totals	$ 7,286.46	$ 7,775.00
Court House and Jail Building:		
Janitor's Salary	$ 900.00	$ 900.00
Water	108.30	150.00
Fuel	716.66	800.00
Lights	133.80	150.00
Ice	20.30	25.00
Insurance	801.60	400.00
Telephones	799.54	800.00
Repairs to Building and Equipment	401.58	1,500.00
Supplies	566.74	600.00
Totals	$ 4,448.52	$ 5,325.00
Elections:		
Printing Ballots, Notices and Etc.	$ 160.00	.....
Total	$ 160.00	.....
Health Department:		
Superintendent's Salary	$ 480.00	$ 480.00
Quarantine Expense	102.49	200.00
Indigent Supplies	2,253.63	3,000.00
Indigent Transportation	48.05	100.00
Indigent Burials	83.35	100.00
County Hospital (Contract)	323.10	1,000.00
County Hospital Supplies	133.15	200.00
Coroner's Fees and Expense	50.00	100.00
Examination of Insane	.....	100.00
Totals	$ 3,473.68	$ 5,280.00
Justice Courts:		
Interpreters	$ 20.00	$ 100.00
Jurors	28.50	100.00
Totals	$ 48.50	$ 200.00

Details of Estimate:

Precinct.	Justice Salary.	Constable Salary.	Expense.		
1	$ 480.00	$ 480.00	$ 100.00	$ 1,017.30	$ 1,060.00
5	240.00	180.00	50.00	447.50	470.00
6	240.00	240.00	50.00	509.50	530.00
7	120.00	90.00	50.00	247.15	260.00
8	120.00	90.00	50.00	170.00	260.00
9	120.00	90.00	50.00	170.00	260.00
12	240.00	240.00	50.00	514.25	530.00
13	120.00	90.00	50.00	210.00	260.00
14	120.00	90.00	50.00	210.00	260.00
15	120.00	90.00	50.00	210.00	260.00
	$1,920.00	$1,680.00	$ 550.00	$ 3,705.70	$ 4,150.00

Miscellaneous Expense:		
Highway Commission Expense	$ 8,476.36	$ 1,000.00
Bounty on Wild Animals	10.00	.....
County Fair	.....	1,000.00
State Fair	493.38	500.00
County Farm Agent	750.00	750.00
County Water Assessments	28.00	50.00
School Bond Elections	107.00	.....
County Officials Bond Premiums	215.00	300.00
Register of Vital Statistics	64.50	100.00
Extending Assessment Roll	198.00	200.00
Expense Attending Tax Conference	358.99	350.00
Tax Refund	2,880.30	200.00
Bridge Repair and Maintenance	2,776.87	500.00
Totals	$16,358.40	$ 4,950.00
Recorder's Office:		
Recorder's Salary	$ 2,250.00	$ 2,250.00
Chief Deputy's Salary	600.00	900.00
Office Supplies and Expense	875.02	900.00
Totals	$ 3,723.02	$ 4,050.00
Sheriff's Office:		
Sheriff's Salary	$ 3,600.00	$ 3,600.00
Chief Deputy's Salary	1,500.00	1,500.00
Jailer's Salary	1,500.00	1,500.00
Office Supplies and Expense	4,198.11	5,000.00
Prisoners' Meals	612.35	1,000.00
Totals	$11,410.45	$12,600.00

GENERAL FUND—(Continued.)

	EXPENDITURES. Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimatrd for Present Fiscal Year
Superior Court:		
Judge's Salary	$ 1,500.00	$ 1,500.00
Clerk's Salary	2,250.00	2,250.00
Reporter's Salary	1,800.00	1,800.00
Probation Officer's Salary	150.00	150.00
Interpreter's Salary	52.50	200.00
Bailiff's Salary	294.00	350.00
Jurors' Fees and Milage	2,238.00	3,000.00
Jurors' Meals	257.28	300.00
Jurors' Lodgings	90.00	200.00
Clerk's Office Expense	314.80	400.00
Judge's Office Expense	29.50	50.00
Miscellaneous Expense	394.25	1,000.00
Totals	$ 9,370.33	$11,200.00
Treasurer's Office:		
Treasurer's Salary	$ 2,250.00	$ 2,250.00
Chief Deputy's Salary	772.80	750.00
Office Supplies and Expense	287.83	300.00
Totals	$ 3,310.63	$ 3,300.00
Grand Total General Fund	$69,906.89	$65,580.00

ROAD FUND

	EXPENDITURES. Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimated for Present Fiscal Year
Engineer's Office:		
Engineer's Salary	.....	$ 2,400.00
Engineer's Office Supplies and Expense	.....	1,000.00
Totals	.....	$ 3,400.00
Maintenance and Repairs:		
General Road Fund	$ 4,602.64	$10,000.00
Road District No. 1	6,400.99	10,000.00
Road District No. 2	4,727.94	10,000.00
Road District No. 3	3,989.80	10,000.00
Totals	$19,721.37	$40,000.00
Grand Total Expenditures Road Fund	$19,721.37	$43,400.00

GENERAL COUNTY BONDS

	EXPENDITURES. Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimated for Present Fiscal Year
State Refunding Bond Interest	$ 6,620.03	$ 6,500.00
State Refunding Bond Redemption	5,891.34	6,000.00
Court House Bond Interest	1,000.00	5,000.00
Court House Bond Redemption	.....	2,500.00
Road Bond Interest	.....	13,750.00
Road Bond Redemption	.....	12,500.00
Totals	$13,511.37	$46,250.00

SCHOOLS

General School Fund

	EXPENDITURES. Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimated for Present Fiscal Year
County Superintendent's Office:		
County Superintendent's Salary	$ 1,999.93	$ 2,400.00
Superintendent's Traveling Expenses	583.00	450.00
Attending State Superintendents' Meeting	.....	.....
Office Supplies	70.00	125.00
County Institute	.....	500.00
Office Help	289.56	1,000.00
Totals	$ 2,942.49	$ 4,475.00

Common School Maintenance:

District No.	Average Daily Attendance highest 6 mo.	Balance in District Funds July 1, 1920.	Special District Levy.	EXPENDITURES. Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimated for present Fiscal year
1	512.05	$ 8,732.51		$ 21,917.81	$ 31,595.00
2	16.33	551.03	$ 262.00M	1,065.79	1,415.00
4	315.60	6,888.21	3,000.00M	13,388.64	18,850.00
5	141.58	1,815.09	7,000.00M	6,868.33	8,725.00
6	240.00	6,992.05	1,400.00M	11,646.41	14,250.00
7	54.14	976.15		1,994.19	3,465.00
8	31.13	863.95		1,852.35	2,100.00
9	31.13	717.63		1,747.94	3,872.00
10	70.81	1,177.69		2,600.72	3,200.00
11	58.57	1,066.97		3,059.06	3,500.00
12	103.32	3,417.78		3,159.65	4,132.00
13	29.00	483 58	109.00M	957.40	1,581.00
14	18.07	349.33		1,086.06	1,300.00
15	46.54	891.87		2,381.38	2,740.00
16	8.88	244 13		1,054.35	1,400.00
17	25.75	1,251.33		1,412.10	2,000.00
18	13.64	166.17		1,135.39	1,311.00
19	11.29	516.23		766.71	1,200.00
20	64.25	1,470.40		2,690.88	3,400.00
23	28.42	1,112.39		938.13	1,154.00
24	17.27	158.28		1,005.72	2,012.00
25	21.35	511.97	310.00M	1,314.47	1,635.00
26	50.94	399.35		2,313.44	3,250.00
28	29.02	865.83		1,040.33	1,567.00
29	10.20	919.98		825.55	1,270.00
31	35.00	229.99		1,854.53	1,600.00
34	71.06	544.87		3,418.84	3,950.00
40	36.14	662.38		1,198.60	1,450.00
41	53.76	250.36		2,546.08	2,630 00
43	27.00	510.06		1,119.83	1,655.00
44	16.61	308.04		855.89	1,350.00
47	12.56	72.22		1,134.43	1,783.00
49	11.61	400.00		1,174.65	1,350.00
Totals	2,212.82	$15,517.82	$12,081,00	$101,305.50	$136,822.00
Add Reserve Fund (10 per cent)					13,682.20
General Schol Fund				2,956.87	4,475.00
Grand Total General School Fund				$104,262.43	$154,979.20
Total Common School Maintenance to be raised by Special District Levy					$12,081.00

SCHOOLS

High School Maintenance

H.S. Dist. Levy.	Av. daily attendance entire School Year	State Aid, est. Present Fiscal Year	Bal. in District Funds July 1, 1920	EXPENDITURES. Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimate for Present Fiscal Year
1	57.7	$3,500.00	$5,056.73	$16,658.30	$22,800.00

SCHOOL DISTRICT FUNDS

(Raised by Special District Levy.)

Dist. No.	Purpose of Levy (Int. or Redpt.	aBlance in District Bond Funds July 1, 1920.	Deficits.	EXPENDITURES. Actual for Past Fiscal Year.	Estimated for Present Fiscal Year.
1	Interest	$ 4.59	.....	$ 2,247.65	$ 5,000.00
4	Interest	2,030.71	.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
5	Interest	542.76	.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
4	Redemption	2,156.96	.....	120.00	2,750.00
5	Redemption	150.39	.....	.....	2,500.00
5	Interest	342.76	.....	238.00	250.00
6	Redemption	1,341.57	.....	.....	400.00
7	Interest	.....	$ 29.97	1,067.35	800.00
7	Redemption	.....	62.42	1,000.00	.....
9	Interest	88.98	.....	300.00	300.00
10	Interest	165.10	.....	371.25	350.00
10	Redemption	131.18	.....	500.00	500.00
12	Interest	241.08	.....	196.00	170.00
12	Redemption	1,152.49	.....	.....	400.00
14	Interest	.....	.....	.....	250.00
14	Redemption	.....	.....	.....	500.00
20	Interest	540.30	.....	322.15	150.00
20	Redemption	725.48	.....	.....	600.00
25	Interest	18.64	.....	90.00	90.00
28	Interest	211.08	.....	60.00	60.00
31	Interest	165.69	.....	255.50	260.00
40	Interest		.....	.....	400.00
40	Redemption		.....	.....	400.00
41	Interest		115.84	420.00	500.00
Totals		$9,582.70	$208.23	$10,987.90	20,430.00
Less Deficits		208.23			
Total		$9,374.47			
Total Sch. Dist. Bonds		$9,374.47			$20,430.00

RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES OTHER THAN DIRECT TAXATION

	Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimated for Present Fiscal Year
Forest Reserve Apportionment, Road	$ 3,000.00	$ 2,000.00
Forest Reserve Apportionment, School	280.48	500.00
Interest County Deposits	4,401.28	3,500.00
Iuterest Delinquent Taxes	3,995.60	2,500.00
Justice Court Fees and ines	933.90	500.00
Licenses	381.70	300 00
Recorder's Fees	2,860.64	2,000.00
Road Taxes	1,998.00	1,000.00
School Receipts (Miscellaneous)	5,922.85	500.00
School Taxes (Poll)	2,720.00	2,000.00
Sheriff Fees	471.00	300.00
State Aid High School	3,540 00	3,000.00
High School Property Sold	800.59	500.00
State School Fund Apportionment	40,955.40	35,000.00
Superior Court Fees	2,974.82	1,500.00
Tax Collector's Fees	2,084.88	1,500.00
County Property Sold	343.16	200.00
County Bond Interest	7,368.24	7,368.00
Rent County Property	545.12	200.00
Attorney and Clerks' Fees (Tax Collections)	14.77	.....
Transient Herd	94.46	50.00
Road District No. 1	163.25	.....
Total Receipts from all sources other than Direct Taxation	$85,850.14	$64,418.00

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ABOVE RECEIPTS

	Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimated for Present Fiscal Year
General Fund	$ 18,719.63	$ 12,250.00
Road Fund	5,161.25	3,000.00
General School Fund	50,260.43	38,500.00
High School Fund	4,340.59	3,500.00
County Bond Interest Fund	7,368.24	7,368.00
Totals	$85,850.14	$64,418.00

UNEXPENDED BALANCES OR DEFICITS IN ALL FUNDS

(Per Treasurer's Records) No Deficits.

	July 1, 1919.	July 1, 1920.
General Fund	$ 7,940.01	$ 13,212.76
Road Fund	12,907.26	21,584.54
General County Bond Interest	144.94	168.55
General County Bond Redemption	122.75	149.79
General School Fund	2,286.75	9,856.37
District School Funds	44,482.55	49,510.26
High School Fund	1,824.68	6,142.48
Bonded School District Funds, Interest	2,732.7[illegible]	4,084.28
Bonded School District Funds, Redemption	2,974.7[illegible]	5,093.01
School District Building Fund	2,053.20	36,163.63
Special School Tax	2,704.71	3,789.24
State Taxes	1,068.87	2,049.20
State and County Taxes	4,382.17	16,705.65
City Taxes	146.02	198.18
Manual Training Fund	1,361.58	525.46
Teachers' Institute Fund	48.55	40.35
Court Houst Bond Interest and Redemption	6,766.84	6,483.82
Hospital Bond, Interest and Redemp. Fund	.....	1,905.80
Graham County Improvement Highway Fund	.....	48.94
Bridge Fund	.....	1,159.44
Fair Fund	.....	801.23
County Law Library Fund	.....	560.65
Totals	$93,948.32	$174,264.03

SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES

	EXPENDITURES. Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimated for Present Fiscal Year
General Fund	$ 69,906.89	$ 65,580.00
Road Fund	19,721.37	43,400.00
General County Bonds	13,511.37	46,250.00
General School Fund	104,262.43	154,979.20
Excess Common School Maintenance raised by Special Levies in Certain Districts	.....	12,081.00
High School Maintenance, raised by Special Levies in High School District	16,658.30	22,800.00
School District Bonds raised by Special Levies in Bonded Districts	10,987.90	20,430.00
Totals	$235,048.26	$365,520.20

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From All Other Sources Other Than Direct Taxation

	RECEIPTS Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimated for Present Fiscal Year
General Fund	$ 26,087.87	$ 19,618.00
Road Fund	5,161.25	3,000.00
General School Fund	50,260.43	38,300.00
High School Maintenance	4,340.59	3,500.00
Total Receipts from All Sources Other Than Direct Taxation	$ 85,850.14	$ 64,418.00

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Remember That Your Home Paper Is Your Home Friend

FORTUNE'S FAVORS

By GENEVIEVE ULMAR

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"It is the only way," spoke Harley Wynne decisively.

He had been grimly viewing the street outside from his office window, absorbed in deep calculation. Now he arose with a face expressing resolution and a certain degree of satisfaction, as though he had solved a difficult problem.

Looking back, the tides of life had never floated him amid serene currents. His mother had died when he was ten years of age and when he was five years older his father had gone to South America. For four years the money, sufficient to keep him at school and cover his living expenses, had come to Bryce Manton, a lawyer. One day Manton came to the college where Harley was, more cold and unsympathetic than ever.

"I bring you bad news," he told Harley. Your father has fallen a victim to a malignant fever in the interior of Peru, and through a native revolution has lost all he had. He was an old-time friend of mine, and I feel it a duty to help you through your education and see you started on the road of business life. I am not a man of any pretentious resources, however, and I expect you to be as co-operative and economical as possible."

Harley kept on with his studies. Manton was exacting and niggardly, and Harley was compelled to work outside during spare hours to keep the wolf from the door. He graduated with honors as a physician, and Manton purchased for him the practice of a doctor who had just died. Then Manton cast him off as he would an old glove.

If Bryce Manton had purposely intended to depress Harley and defeat his plans of getting on in the world, he couldn't have started him out less favorably. Harley found that the practice of his predecessor had never been large, and what there was of it had already been distributed among professional rivals. Day after day, week after week Harley waited in his office for the patients who never came. At the end of six months he was forced to take some definite action.

"If it didn't mean never seeing her again," murmured Harley ruefully. He was thinking of the only girl he had ever loved. He had received an urgent call one day to attend a little child taken suddenly ill and found himself at the home of John Essex, a man of established wealth and position. Harley was successful in carrying his patient through a siege of illness and received a liberal fee. Through all his ministrations to the little sufferer, her sister, Hilda, a lovely young lady of twenty, had assisted Harley. She was one of those hopeful, happy beings whose innate goodness and gentleness give a helpful tinge to life, and with Harley she had been unusually gracious, almost encouraging. Of course, he had no thought of aspiring to this child of high social position and wealth, but he could not help but bear her image constantly in his thoughts. She was vividly in his mind now, when a man entered the room whom Harley recognized as the Essex chauffeur.

"Miss Essex is in the machine below," he reported, "and wishes to see you, if you please."

Miss Essex greeted Wynne with her usual friendly warmth, but looked serious and anxious as she indicated a man lying back in the seat.

"We found him in a collapsed condition down the road," she explained. Will you not give him the attention he requires?"

"Surely," responded Wynne.

He was a bronzed, wiry man, much wasted away, but as he opened his eyes there was almost a thrilling glow of vitality and emotion in their depths. Wynne explained the circumstances of his presence.

"It was only a spell of weakness," began the stranger, and then, chancing to observe the name on the clouded glass of the office door, he cried out shrilly:

"Is that your name?"

"Yes," assented Wynne.

"Was your father Almon Wynne?"

"Why do you ask these questions?" pressed Wynne, noting a growing eagerness and excitement in the manner of his interlocutor.

"Because I am seeking the truth. You must know Bryce Manton. Has he cared for you liberally? Has he yet paid to you your fortune?"

"My fortune!" exclaimed Wynne bewildered, and then, as he was persistently urged by his strange patient, he imparted the facts of his experience with the lawyer.

"Come with me," spoke the other earnestly. "There is a fate in this. I was with your father when he died. It was I who sent to Manton his fortune and my own, but was prevented from following because for three years I have been a captive with a native tribe."

Bryce Manton cringed like a craven when confronted with the evidence of his misappropriation. Under the agreement that he should not be publicly exposed he offered restitution, and this made Harley Wynne a rich man.

He did not press his suit vainly with the parents of Hilda. As to the young lady herself, love had already paved the way for the success of his addresses.

Down in Rhode Island, according to reports, they are now importing good whisky in porcelain nest eggs.

That takes away all the interest in the "Little Brown Jug."

If I had a hen that laid such eggs,
I'd put silk stockings on her legs;
I'd make her lay by day and night
And suck her eggs till I was tight.

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A LITTLE DOG'S DAY

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

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In a tiny village tucked away among green hills late one afternoon a big, high-powered car came honking along the smooth state road, its sole occupant an elderly man who had evidently walked with prosperity all his life.

"This must be the place," he decided, as his glance fell upon a tidy, comfortable looking farmhouse under the trees.

Alighting at the gate he made his way to the front porch where sat an old man in his shirt-sleeves.

"I'm a New York lumber dealer. I came up to look over some wood-lots in the neighborhood," he explained. "Expect to be here two or three days. I was told back yonder that maybe you would take care of me, now that the only hotel in the place is closed for repairs."

Farmer Grimes got to his feet with many rheumatic grunts.

"Guess we can put you up for that long," he replied. "I'll see what Betty says."

He disappeared for a moment within the house, then called out from the doorway: "You jest drive your car 'round to the barn."

Colonel Burton obeyed with a feeling of extreme satisfaction. There was a sweet, wholesome atmosphere about the place that made it far preferable to any country hotel he had ever known.

When he entered the house, Betty, a pretty, slender girl in blue gingham, met him with a shy and charming smile. She had eyes bluer than her pretty gown—the trustful look of one unacquainted with guile. The city man thought he had never seen a girl so innocent and sweet.

Presently, as a firm step crossed the kitchen floor, she turned quickly, her whole face transformed by the expression that went over it. Interested and curious, Colonel Burton glanced through the half-open door, barely stifling an exclamation as he did so. It was no stranger upon whom his startled gaze rested—this broad-shouldered young man approaching with a confident tread.

How strangely things come about! So this was where Tom Dudley had been hiding for a year and a half. The colonel's brow darkened and his hands clinched. All these months he had hoped for a meeting like this.

The fellow's status in the household was easily guessed—the hired man! But of course these good people had no suspicion that they were harboring a thief! "Of all houses in this village, it is curious that I should have been directed to this one," the colonel thought gloatingly.

Meanwhile Tom Dudley had come to a sudden halt just across the threshold. His face went paper-white under his tan, and he reached out both hands gropingly as if seeking some support.

"Tom! Tom! What is it?" cried Betty in alarm. "You are ill!"

Her very tone was a caress. It told Colonel Burton that she had given the priceless treasure of her love to the graceless young scamp. There was something in her expression, as she sprang forward, that went to the worldly man's heart. For a moment he hesitated; then he did a most surprising thing. Instead of denouncing the rascal, he pushed forward a chair.

"Better sit down, young man, until you get over it."

Pouring a glass of water he held it to Tom's lips, wondering at himself as he did so. The latter drank gulpingly, looked up wildly and beseechingly into the stern face bending over him.

"It was hot in the field," he muttered after a moment. "Guess I'd better go and lie down."

"Yes, do," said Betty, giving him her strong young shoulder to lean upon.

The colonel's brows knitted as he gazed after them. Something in the attitude of the two bridged a gulf of forty years. His hard face softened a little as he met the imploring look with which the young man disappeared.

"I am getting chicken-hearted," he muttered. "I couldn't make up my mind to speak before that girl. There's something beautiful in such trusting love. The old man will have to hear the tale."

Aloud he said:

"That young fellow was taken very suddenly ill."

"It never happened afore," returned the unsuspecting farmer. "Tom is strong as an ox. Does the work o' two men about the place."

"You seem fond of him."

"I couldn't git along without Tom. I'm all doubled up with rheumatiz, you see, an' since the war good help can't be had for love or money. But Tom looks arter everything—keeps the place tidy and shipshape. He can outdo me when it comes to raisin' crops, for all he's a new hand at sich work."

"Humph!" said Colonel Burton. And then, after a moment, he asked: "How was it when he first came to you? Did he have plenty of money?"

"Well—er—hardly," answered Farmer Grimes. "Guess he'd had hard luck o' some sort. Anyhow, he was strapped. But what o' that? I wanted help, an' he wanted a stiddy job. We both got what we were arter."

"There's buying and selling in running a farm. Who looks after that—handles the cash?"

"Why, Tom, of course. When it comes to business, never seen his beat. He's real savin', too. We're gittin' along swimmin'ly. Put somethin' by every month. He's as interested as I be in gittin' the mortgage paid off."

The colonel swung about and frowningly walked the room for several minutes. He was debating a question with himself. "I'll wait until morning," he decided finally. There was no reason why he should spare Tom, but he could not bear the thought of hurting poor, trusting Betty. No matter what came of delay he would do nothing hasty or ill-advised.

Supper over, he strolled to the barn. What he had counted upon happened—Tom followed him out. The latter began abruptly.

"Of course you'll have me arrested, sir?"

"Yes, unless you show a clean pair of heels between now and morning," snapped the harassed elder man.

Tom stared, amazed at the suggestion the words conveyed. Flight! He had not counted on being shown any mercy. But he shook his head.

"No, I shall stay and face the worst."

"The bigger fool you! It's a clear case. You must know that flight is your only chance."

"No matter. Some day everything will come right."

The colonel looked at him sharply. What did he mean?

"See here," he said gruffly. "You're in love with that girl. What were you going to do if I hadn't turned up so inopportunely? Marry her?"

"Not with a stain upon my name."

"She cares for you. If I hold my tongue, she will never know! You ought to think of her happiness—and of your own."

Tom turned resolutely, but his face was white.

"Betty's name must not brought into this," he said. "I made up my mind to go when I saw how it was between her and me. I was only waiting until the crops were harvested, or Daddy Grimes had found a man to take my place. If I did not know how useless it would be, I'd ask you to spare me until then."

The young man's eyes were wistful. Colonel Burton struck his fist into one palm with sudden passion. It angered him beyond all reason that Tom should take this course with him.

"Don't count on concessions from me," he growled. "You'll get none."

"Very well, sir."

And yet Colonel Burton did some hard thinking that night when he should have been asleep. He had always liked Tom. For a year and a half the fellow had made good. He had not even hidden his identity under another name. It was hard to think ill of him. And yet an innocent man would have turned every stone to prove his innocence, instead of taking to his heels.

Suddenly, alone in the darkness, he spoke aloud.

"I did the boy some favors. He seemed to regard me as an elder brother. It is very strange—incomprehensible—that—"

The words died in a gasp of pain as a sudden thought struck him like a stunning blow.

Next morning he went down to breakfast with a rather tragic face.

"You are needed here," he said, when there was a chance for a word with Tom alone. "Better stay for the present."

Two days later he returned to the city.

A month went by. One morning a brief letter came from him. It read as follows:

"Tom—Marry the girl as soon as you like. You tried to screen the real thief, but I've found him out. Enough of that. The subject is too painful. I owe you something for what you have suffered through me and mine. Set the wedding day and I'll come up and lift the mortgage on the farm."

Tom's eyes blurred as he read.

"Poor man. I am not sorry that I did what I could to spare him."

Vegetation in the Sahara.

The Sahara has been incorrectly represented as an immense expanse composed of shifting sands receiving no rain whatever, and entirely destitute of vegetation.

The Sahara is, to be sure, a very dry region; but it does rain there. It also contains a number of wells or pools of water—without mentioning the numerous Ghedirs, "temporary ponds or water holes, spots where rain water stands for a certain length of time." But for many centuries these wells have received no attention.

Another legend which does injustice to the Sahara is that this immense expanse is entirely deprived of vegetation; but the largest portion of this immense surface proclaimed as a desert in reality possesses a plant life which is quite various and often very abundant. It contains numerous pastures and some pieces of woodland, even outside the oases.—Scientific American.

Assistance Furnished.

"So this is one of those 'help yourself' restaurants?"

"As you see. However, the management doesn't expect a patron to do everything for himself."

"No?"

"There are lady cashiers stationed at strategic points to relieve him of his money."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Peaches to the Peach.

From a Story—"Earlier in the day he sent her some orchards."—Boston Transcript.

BUDWEISER AND SCHLITZ

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THE PALMS, SAFFORD

REPORT ON DRIVE

Chas. E. Reno, Rodent Leader, Gives Graphic Account of Rabbit Hunt

The following report of the recent rabbit drive in Graham county, has been made to Rodent Pest Inspector Gilchrist, by Chas. E. Reno, Rodent Leader:

SAFFORD, ARIZONA.
July 13, 1920.

MR. D. A. GILCHRIST,
Rodent Pest Inspector, Arizona.

DEAR MR. GILCHRIST:

Your wire regarding rabbit drive in this community received and I arrived here Saturday.

Rabbit drive was scheduled and executed on Monday, July 12th, with best of success. Seventy-five persons took part. Approximately, 2,500 shells were used which resulted in the killing of 2,000 rabbits.

Through personal donations of local citizens and an appropriation from the county, the bulk of the ammunition was purchased. As this amount was not deemed sufficient I was called upon, and assisted by expending about $200 for ammunition. This amount more than carried us over, leaving somewhere in the neighborhood of 3,000 rounds.

As the people here are very earnest in their efforts and more than good cooperators, I decided to utilize the remaining shells by organizing the district into communities, placing at the head of each community a captain, and over the captains one supervising chairman. This chairman and I distributed equally to each captain these shells, who in turn made equal allotments to his individual men. These men are to hunt mornings and evenings, or all day if they so choose. A complete record is maintained by the captains of the number of shells each man uses and also the number of rabbits he kills. Rabbit tails will be used as evidence. This information will be submitted to the chairmen by the captains, thence to me by the chairmen.

Personal interest has been instilled into the drive by the presentation of 1st, 2d and 3d cash prizes, raised among the farmers, to be awarded to the three men making the best percentage of kills. In addition to this, the community will be divided into teams and the winning teams will be the guests of the losers to a feed and dance.

As there has been a great deal of personal interest shown, I am looking forward to success. Any man caught shooting birds or anything other than rabbits with the shells will have his shells taken from him.

I have a second all day's drive scheduled for Friday up the valley a ways and under a different system than used yesterday and I hope to report better results. We will keep the men in better formation and a barbecue dinner at noon has been arranged to create interest.

Placed poison out today in several places, using alfalfa leaves and melon rind, but as they were not placed until late this evening, I cannot report results until tomorrow, but look forward to our usual good results.

Wish you could have been here for some of the shooting yesterday. Someone must have had a grudge against the deputy sheriff as he got a shot in the north side as he was headed south. Nothing serious. Expect to clean up here by Saturday at the present rate and the full cooperation of federal, State and county governments is getting results and will save the cotton crop of the Gila valley.

Very truly yours,
CHAS. E. RENO,
Rodent Leader.

Salary Increase Larger than Dividends

The effect of the wage award upon the pay rolls of Pacific Coast Railroads is indicated in estimates made in San Francisco, July 23d, at the general offices of the Southern Pacific Company, that the added bill for all that company's lines alone would approximate $17,500,000. The exact figures remain to be determined, but it was said that the figure quoted was believed to be very nearly correct. Officials pointed out that stockholders of the Southern Pacific last year received in dividends $17,478,460, so that this one recent wage increase distributed among the company's employes equals the mount that the stockholders got altogether. There are over 50,000 employes on the Pacific System lines.

At the same time it was pointed out that the Southern Pacific's annual report, recently published, showed that the increase in wages and cost of materials used in operation in 1919, compared with the year previous, amounted to $18,833,500, or an increase of almost one and one-half millions of dollars more than the stockholders received.

What a lot of argument there used to be about a woman driving an automobile

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II

Two or three years ago you would have listened to more varying opinions about tires than you could shake a stick at. Mileages, construction, treads and whatnot.

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III

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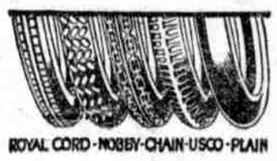

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United States Tires

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

COUNTY BUDGET

(Continued from Page Three)

SUMMARY OF AMOUNTS TO BE RAISED BY DIRECT TAXATION

	Actual Amounts Levied for Past Fiscal Year	Proposed Levies for Present Fiscal Year
General Fund	$ 50,375.00	$ 53,330.00
Road Fund	26,000.00	40,000.00
General School Fund	78,586.00	116,679.92
Excess Common School Maintenance Raised by Special Levies in Certain Districts	3,000.00	12,581.00
High School Maintenance, Raised by Special Levies in High School Districts	15,390.00	19,390.00
School District Bonds and Interest Raised by Special Levies in Bonded Districts	12,310.00	20,433.00
General County Bonds	18,900.00	46,250.00
Total to be Raised by Direct Taxation	$204,591.00	$308,470.92

TEN PER CENT LIMIT CHECK

(Applies to General Fund and Road Fund Only.)

	Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimated for Present Fiscal Year
General Fund Raised by Direct Taxation	$ 50,375.00	$ 53,330.00
Receipts from Other Sources	26,087.87	19,618.00
Road Fund Raised by Direct Taxation	26,000.00	40,000.00
Receipts from Other Sources	5,161.25	3,000.00
Totals	$107,624.12	$116,348.00
Add 10 per cent excess allowed by law	10,762.41	
Maximum Limit, which must not be exceeded by the Proposed Levies and estimated Receipts from Other Sources for the pres- Fiscal Year for the General Fund and Road Fund	$118,386.53	

The board having no further business to transact at this meeting, by motion, duly put and carried, adjourned sine die.

H. J. DOWDLE, Chairman.

Attest:
MARTIN LAYTON, Clerk.

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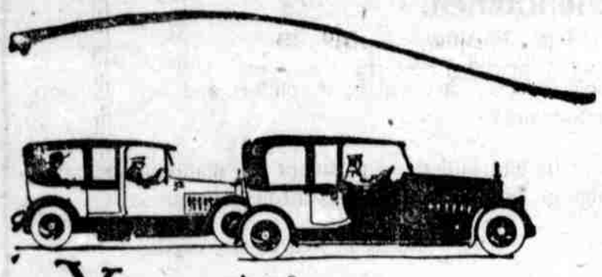

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SECURED RESULTS

Cooperative Marketing Has Proven a Success for Cotton Growers

The remarkable success of the cooperative marketing department of the Arizona American-Egyptian Cotton Growers' Association is being used as an example to lead toward the light some of the more backward districts in the cotton belt, as is shown by the article reproduced below.

This article appeared in the "Manufacturers' Record," of Baltimore, which is rated as the biggest and most influential weekly in its class, and has stood consistently in favor of the cooperative movement among cotton growers":

"Every state in the South should adopt methods of cooperative marketing which will enable growers to sell cotton at a profit, urges Harvie Jordan, in calling attention to the work along this line by the Arizona Division of the American Cotton Association.

(Harvie Jordan is the Secretary of the American Cotton Association, with headquarters at the State House, Atlanta Ga.).

"Cooperative marketing is said to have proven a decided success in Arizona, as compared with individual marketing. Not only better prices than the prevailing local market have been secured for the members of the association, but better prices for small lots for single individuals have been obtained, and from the same buyers and for the same lots of cotton.

"Not only was the top of the market for both seed and lint received throughout the season, but the membership, by keeping informed as to the actual value of their cotton, were enabled to more intelligently market their own products, and thus secure better prices for themselves.

"The (Arizona) association states that in common justice all agree that the seller of a product should know as much about its value as the buyer. Given this information, and the proper financing, the farmer is placed in position to demand a fairly profitable price for his product. It is on this principle that the operations of the association are based.

Got Results

"As a direct result of the association's efforts, it is believed that the cotton growers of the Salt River Valley received last season at least $2,000,000 more for their seed and lint than they would have received otherwise, by virtue of the information received and distributed and the sales made.

"This was accomplished with a membership of approximately only 10 per cent of the total acreage in cotton in the Salt River valley. At the end of the planting season this spring the association reports that its membership was three times what it totaled last year, and will undoubtedly pass the 50 per cent mark before fall."

Since the above article was written for the Manufacturers' Record the membership of the association has grown to more than four times the last year's total and is growing faster all the time.

During the recent visit of the delegation of Imperial Valley cotton growers to the Salt River Valley they took occasion to look into the objects of, and the results attained by, the association and urged that its work be extended for the benefit of the farmers of Southeastern California.

ST. JOSEPH STAKE

Home Missionary Appointments for August 8th

Eden—J. R. Welker and John W. Morris.
Bryce—Earl Cluff.
Hubbard—Peter A. Norton and J. Ed. Follett.
Graham—Archie Cluff.
Solomon—Evans Coleman and Paul Beebe.
Lebanon—D. E. Haggard and L. M. Ferguson.
Layton—James H. Mangum and Don C. McBride.
Thatcher—Grover Hoopes and Ray Killian.
Thatcher, West—Flossie Evans and Laura Morris.
Central—Ephraim Larson and Moroni Larson, Jr.
Pima—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morris.
Matthews—Katie Martin and Lizzie Kimball.
Ashurst—Marion D. Maloy and Oscar Tyler.
Emery—George Evans and S. B. Dye.
Franklin and Virden—Wm. McBride, Ether Ferrin, Lawrence Holliday and Spencer Kimball.

SPENCER KIMBALL,
Stake Clerk.

Suffered Intense Pain

"A few years ago when visiting relatives in Michigan something I had eaten brought on an attack of cholora morbus," writes Mrs. Celesta McVicker, Macon, Mo. "I suffered intense pain and had to go to bed. I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy and one dose relieved the pain wonderfully. I only took two or three doses but they did the work. 21-5t

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

(Continued from Last Week)

The following claims against the county were audited by the Board of Supervisors and County Recorder, allowed, and the clerk was ordered to draw warrants in payment of the same, as follows:

Claim No.	By Whom Presented	For What Purpose	Amt. Cl'm'd	Amt. War'nt	Warrant No.
.....	County pay roll	County and precinct officials' salaries, June 1 to 15, inc.	$1,383.73	$1,383.73	779 to 816
424	County pay roll	County and precinct officials' salaries, June 16 to 30, inc.	1,383.73	1,383.73	817 to 854

The following claims against the county were audited by the Board of Supervisors, allowed, and the clerk was ordered to draw warrants in payment of the same, as follows:

Claim No.	By Whom Presented	For What Purpose	Amt. Cl'm'd	Amt. War'nt	Warrant No.
452	E. D. Householder	Treasurer's office help	$67.30	$67.30	855
405	J. A. Woods, Treas.	Jurors' certificates and treasurer's expense	889.65	889.65	856
406	Fred Waughtal	Lodging for jurors	14.00	14.00	857
407	Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	Court house office repairs	.75	.75	858
408	J. Greenhalgh	Baliff, Superior Court	44.00	44.00	859
410	Bank of Safford	Court house lawn repairs	4.60	4.60	860
414	Phyllis French	Justice court expense	15.00	15.00	861
418	Bank of Safford	Freight and drayage, Welker Brothers	3.36	3.36	862
419	Bank of Safford	Freight and drayage, Welker Brothers	6.07	6.07	863
420	H. L. Payne	Expense, clerk Superior Court office	7.00	7.00	864
422	C. O. Larson	Expense, recorder's office	3.00	3.00	865
423	Pacific Chemical Co.	Court house supplies	7.50	7.50	866
427	Bank of Safford	Freight and drayage, Welker Brothers	2.66	2.66	867
429	A. H. Austin	Office rent, justice court	7.50	7.50	868
443	Mountain States Telephone Co.	County telephone service	58.85	58.85	869
448	University of Arizona Agricultural Extension Service	Farm advisor appropriation	62.50	62.50	870
449	Western Union Telegraph Co.	County telegraphic service	1.00	1.00	871
453	Mona Smith	Stenographer, county attorney	35.00	35.00	872
454	R. W. Smith	Expense, county attorney's office	2.75	2.75	873
455	Martin Layton	Expense, supervisor's office	10.75	10.75	874
409	Bank of Safford	June indigent allowance, N. B. Skaggs	30.00	30.00	875
412	Jose Dominguez	July indigent allowance	30.00	30.00	876
414	Sarah A. Cluff	June " "	10.00	10.00	877
416	Cal Harris	July " "	25.00	25.00	878
421	W. H. Clifford	June " " Juan Guillermo	20.00	20.00	879
426	Mrs. Julia Winsor	June indigent allowance, Mrs. D. Morris	53.63	53.63	880
428	Jose Romeo	July indigent allowance	5.00	5.00	881
430	Mrs. N. B. Skaggs	July indigent allowance	30.00	30.00	882
431	Mrs. Dora Lee	" " "	10.00	10.00	883
432	Mrs. Ina Barca	" " "	10.00	10.00	884
433	Georgia Dempsey	" " "	20.00	20.00	885
444	Albert Stevens	Burial of indigent	25.00	25.00	886
445	Keturah Baker	July indigent allowance	10.00	10.00	887
450	Susie S. Cluff	" " "	10.00	10.00	888
415	E. W. Black	General road expense	10.00	10.00	889
425	Fred Webb	Supplies, road district, No. 2	4.05	4.05	890
446	Bank of Pima	Vouchers, road district No. 2	10.50	10.50	891
451	W. W. Pace	General road expense	50.00	50.00	892
442	Lester Golding	Refund road tax	4.50	2.00	893
447	Charlie Reynolds	Refund road tax	4.50	2.00	894
417	Elmer F. Morgan	Tax refund	26.57	26.57	895
413	S. E. Reynolds	Tax refund	22.64	22.64	896
456	J. D. Halstead Lumber Co.	Supplies, road district No. 1	123.70	123.70	897
457	J. D. Skaggs, sheriff	Sheriff's office expense	188.12	138.12	898
458	The McNeil Co.	County office supplies	5.37	5.37	899
459	Floyd Scarlett	General road expense	13.50	13.50	900
460	Farmer Pub. Co.	County printing and publishing	93.35	93.35	901
461	J. Myron Allred	Expense, assessor's office	4.60	4.60	902
462	Guardian Pub. Co.	County printing and publishing	66.15	66.15	903
463	G. G. Morgan Printing Company	County election supplies	82.25	65.00	904
464	Mrs. J. H. Blair	County prisoners' meals	20.15	20.15	905
250	Wood & Oakley	Legal opinion, road bond proceedings	200.00	200.00	906
368	Dr. R. E. Franklin	Quarantine expense	60.00	60.00	907
465	Manufacturing Stationers, Inc.	County office supplies	27.00	27.00	908
466	W. R. Hughes	Expense, assessor's office	16.42	16.42	909
467	Gila Valley Electric, Gas and Water Co.	County light and water service	22.45	22.45	910
468	Bank of Safford	Vouchers, road districts Nos. 1 and 2	63.65	63.65	911

School Fund

The following claims on the general school fund were, by motion, duly put and carried, approved by the Board of Supervisors, as follows:

Claim No.	By Whom Presented	For What Purpose	Amt. Cl'm'd	Amt. War'nt	Warrant No.
75	S. C. Heywood	County school superintendent, salary, June 1 to 15, inc.	83.33	83.33	75
76	S. C. Heywood	County school superintendent, salary, June 16 to 30, inc.	83.33	83.33	76

The board having no further business to transact at this meeting, by motion, duly put and carried, adjourned sine die.

H. J. DOWDLE, Chairman.

Attest:
MARTIN LAYTON, Clerk.

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Miss Lizzie Bryce left Monday morning for San Diego, Cal., where she will spend a months' vacation.

FOR SALE—Twenty acres of land up Ash Creek. Call or address Mrs. John Damron, Thatcher, Arizona. 23-tf

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 029027

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, June 28, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas H. Carland, of Geronimo, Arizona, who, December 14, 1915, made Homestead Entry, No. 029027, for SE ¼, Section 12, Township 4 South, Range 22 East, Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. L. Payne, Clerk of the Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 3d day of August, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Louis B. Norton, Samuel A. Sowell, Jr., Edward Black, Samuel B. Hinton, all of Geronimo, Arizona.

CHAS. E. MARSHALL, Register.
First publication, July 2, 1920.
Last publication, July 30, 1920.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 027608

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, June 18, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that Braulio Ochoa, of Solomonville, Arizona, who, on June 17, 1915, made Homestead Entry, No. 027608, for SW ¼ NE ¼, SE ¼ NW ¼, Section 25, Township 7, South, Range 26 East, Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. L. Payne, Clerk of the Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 3d day of August, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Gilbert Clifford, J. Curtis Johns, Pedro Franco, Jared John, all of Solomonville, Arizona.

CHAS. E. MARSHALL, Register.
First publication, July 2, 1920.
Last publication, July 30, 1920.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Dial, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Mary Dial, executrix of the estate of Henry Dial, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to said executrix at the office of Stratton & Lynch, at Safford, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

MARY DIAL,
Executrix.
First publication, July 16, 1920.
Last publication, Aug. 6, 1920.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 05489

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, July 12, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that George H. Crosby, Jr., of Mesa, Arizona, assignee of Elisha T. Green, who, on April 3, 1909, made Desert Land Entry, No. 05489, for W ½ SE ¼, E ½ SW ¼, Section 23, Township 5 South, Range 23 East, Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make purchase proof, Act March 4, 1915, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. L. Payne, Clerk of the Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 21st day of August, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Benjamin Echols, of Glenbar, Arizona; Jesse Green, of Ft. Thomas, Arizona; Samuel E. Lines, Benjamin Blake, both of Pima, Arizona.

CHAS. E. MARSHALL, Register.
First publication, July 16, 1920.
Last publication, August 16, 1920.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Attorney

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

R. W. SMITH.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 7, 1920.

E. L. SPRIGGS.

PIMA NEWS

Mrs. Addie Lambert and children are here from Miami visiting with relatives.

Ed Eyring and son, Henry, spent several days in the Graham mountains last week.

A number of Pima young people spent the twenty-fourth picnicking at the flume camp.

A large number of Pima people attended the celebration at Thatcher on the twenty-fourth.

Bishop Reece Green has his new home nearly completed and will soon be able to move into it.

The entertainment which was given by the Bee Hive girls last Friday evening was a great success.

John Allen had the misfortune to lose four of his milch cows this week. They were poisoned on Johnson grass.

Mrs. Otto Marshall and Della Chatwin entertained their primary classes at their home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Maloy and two children arrived here Friday evening from Bisbee for a short visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Maloy and children returned to their home in Morenci, Monday, after spending the last two weeks here with relatives.

Mrs. Venice Cluff and Emma McBride entertained their primary class at the home of Mrs. Cluff, last Monday. The time was spent playing games, after which ice cream was served.

The Loyalty Club will give a festival at the pavilion Friday evening, at 8:30 o'clock. The club will have its work on display and also many useful articles for sale. It is free and everyone is invited to attend.

Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy

This remedy is certain to be needed in many homes before the summer is over. Buy it now and be prepared. It is recognized as a most reliable remedy for bowel complaints and may be obtained at any drug store. 21-5t

LIBERTY THEATRE

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 1
D. W. GRIFFITH'S
"Greatest Question"
Also Pathe News
"Mutt and Jeff"

MONDAY, AUGUST 2
WILLIAM DUNCAN, in
"Silent Avenger"
No. 13
Also Ford Weekly

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3
DOROTHY GISH, in
"Turning the Table"
Also Mack-Sennett Two-Reel Comedy

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4
Paramount Artcraft Special
All Star Cast
"Teeth of the Tiger"
Also Two-Reel Comedy

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5
CONSTANCE TALMADGE, in
"Who Cares?"
Also Smiling Bill Parson's Comedy
"A Wonderful Night"

FRIDAY, AND SATURDAY, AUGUST 6 AND 7
A Big Goldwyn Special
All Star Cast
"Dangerous Days"
Also Sunshine Comedy
Mutt and Jeff

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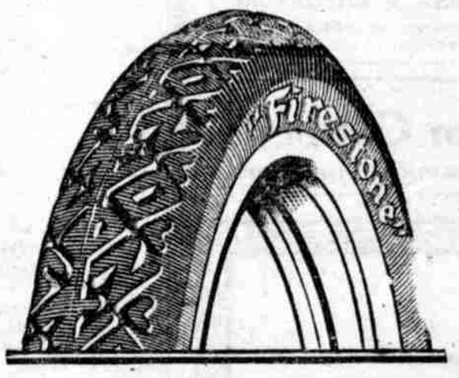

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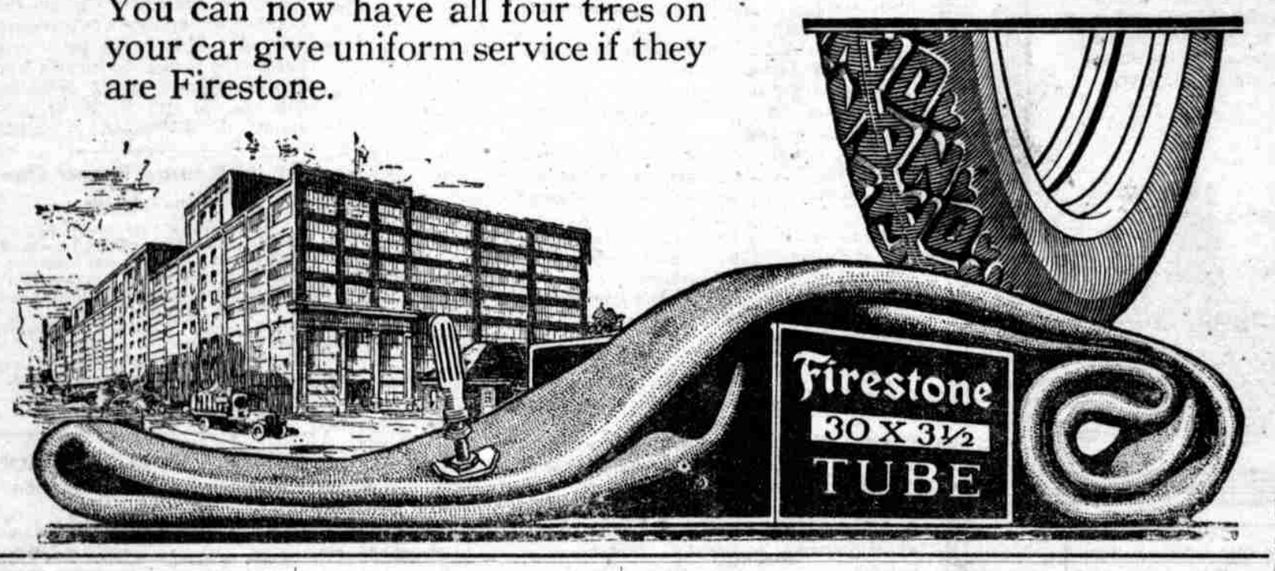

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PERSONALS

The Gila Motor Co. received a carload of Ford cars this week.

Albert Todd, of Ft. Thomas, was a visitor in town Monday and Tuesday.

A. H. Ferrin arrived home Saturday from a short business visit to the Imperial valley, California.

Miss Edna Schroeder spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Charles Schroeder. She returned to Bowie Sunday.

John F. Cassan, of New York City, arrived here last Thursday and accepted a position in the office of the Gila Motor Co.

Deputy U. S. Marshall Frank Haynes, of Globe, was here Monday and Tuesday, visiting with his sister, Mrs. J. E. Ringer.

Dr. Maud Callison returned home yesterday from a two months' vacation, spent at Flagstaff and the White mountains.

Mrs. Milnor Richmond and two children arrived here from Bowie Wednesday and will be the guests of Mrs. Alice Worden for ten days.

Oscar Lancaster has purchased the interest of Will Dallas in the Palace Pool Hall. Oscar is now on the job with a smile for his friends.

Miss Lorraine Birdno arrived here Wednesday evening from Phoenix and will visit with her aunt, Mrs. George H. Birdno, for several weeks.

Mrs. Frieda Mashbir left Sunday morning for her home in Los Angeles, Cal., after spending two months here, visiting with her brother, Ph. Fruedenthal.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Neumyer, of Chicago, arrived here Tuesday from the Windy City. They are visiting with Mr. Neumyer's sister, Mrs. W. D. French, and will make their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Alexander left Sunday for their home in Klondyke, after spending several weeks here, during which time Mr. Alexander was taking medical treatment.

Thos. Harrison left last Thursday for the Imperial valley, Cal., to look over several land propositions. He will go on to the coast for a short visit before returning home.

Mrs. Joe Woolsey was taken dangerously ill at Arcadia Ranger Station, Graham Mountains, Monday evening, and was brought home Wednesday for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Spriggs and children and Mr. Norman Johnson and children, who have been spending a month at Arcadia, Graham mountains, returned to town yesterday.

Mrs. Theo. Kreuger and little daughter, Doris, arrived here Tuesday evening from Abilene, Texas, and will visit for several weeks with Mrs. Kreuger's mother, Mrs. Nettie Sowell.

Ph. Fruedenthal left last week for New York City, where he will join Mrs. Fruedenthal on a visit to Mr. Fruedenthal's brother, Dr. W. Fruedenthal, and other relatives. They will be away for the summer.

Mrs. J. N. Stratton, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Alice Davis, of Globe, left here Sunday morning for El Paso, Texas, where they will visit for several weeks with their uncle, John Hunter, of Shrevesport, La., now on a visit to relatives in the Paso City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Pollock, of Solomonville, accompanied by Mrs. Jack Farrell, left by auto Wednesday for El Paso, Texas. Mrs. Farrell will visit with her sister, Mrs. R. J. Boyle, and her daughter, Miss Lucille. Mr. and Mrs. Pollock are combining business with pleasure on their visit to the Pass City.

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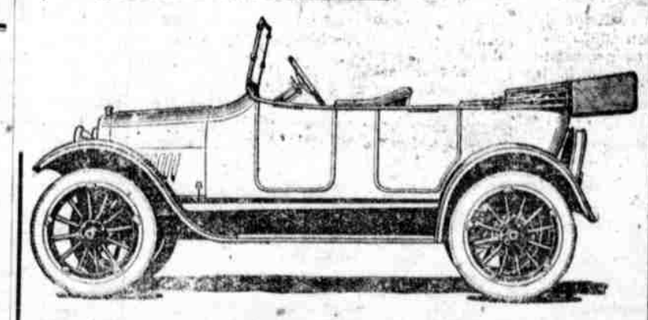

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